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In re Application of

John BLUMENTHAL et al.

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Application No. 10/647,895

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated May 13, 2005 for 1 month month from August 13, 2005to September 13, 2005.

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